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**Subject:** FW: EPA-R8-2019-001651 Assignment Question, Request is below with name of requester

Andrea,

ARCO has submitted a broad FOIA for the Anaconda/CFAC site. This request is undoubtedly tied to the third party litigation between Glencore and ARCO. Processing this FOIA will be another labor and time-intensive FOIA review effort involving numerous site records. Our response will be complicated by the fact that CFAC claimed CBI for major portions of its 104(e) production.

Mark

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FOIA request - EPA-R8-2019-001651. Additional details for this item are as follows:

- Tracking Number: EPA-R8-2019-001651
- Requester: Ms. Tess Hand-Bender
- Request Track: Complex
- Submitted Date: 11/26/2018
- Due Date: 12/26/2018
- Short Description: CFAC Plant
- Description: Under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, we are requesting copies of certain records evidencing inspections, enforcement, or other regulatory activity occurring at or relating to the Anaconda Aluminum Co Columbia Falls Reduction Plant located in Columbia Falls, Montana (the "Site"). The Site is currently owned by Columbia Falls Aluminum Company ("CFAC"), which is in turn owned by Glencore AG ("Glencore"). The Site may be referred to in EPA records as the "Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Plant" or the "CFAC Plant." EPA added the Site to the National Priorities List on September 9, 2016. The Site's EPA ID is MTD057561763. The EPA Administrative Settlement and Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study governing CERCLA response actions at the Site is identified by CERCLA Docket No. 08-2016-0002.  
In particular we request all records relating to:  
1. Communications, inspections, enforcement, or other regulatory activity by EPA and its

affiliates, pertaining to the Site. This request includes, but is not necessarily limited to, inspection reports, field inspection notes, other reports, permits, notices of violation, and enforcement-related orders;

2. All communications with, and all documents sent to or received from, CFAC or Glencore relating to the Site;

3. All communications with, and all documents sent to or received from, the Montana Department of Environmental Quality relating to the Site;

4. All documents produced by CFAC to EPA in response to the EPA's 2014 request for information under CERCLA Section 104(e), 42 U.S.C. § 9604(e);

5. All documents listed on the EPA Site File Index for the Site; and

6. All documents contained in the EPA Administrative Record for the Site.

If possible, I would prefer to receive the requested records in electronic form (e.g., CD/DVD). If the copies cannot be transmitted electronically, please mail the copies of the records to me with an itemized invoice.

*Thanks - Dayle*

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Dayle,

Who is the requestor for this FOIA?

Thanks,

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Hi, Dayle:

It should probably be either Mike Cirian, the Remedial Project Manager for the site, or Mark Chalfant, the site attorney. Do you need me to go into FOIA online and input that information?

Thank you,

Joe

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Subject Matter Expert  
Do you have one or do you want to respond to the FOIA?

*Thanks - Dayle*

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Hi, Dayle:

What is SME?

Thank you,

Joe

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**Importance:** High

We are conferring with the requester on 12/11 and want the name of the SME, please. Then close out your task in FOIAonline.

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Short Description

CFAC Plant

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